

## **GSA VETS 2 GWAC**

# Coming Soon!

### **Supporting Your Mission with Government-wide Acquisition Contracts**

#### **Introduction to VETS 2**

Veterans Technology Services 2 (VETS 2) will be a Service-Disabled, Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) setaside that provides federal customers access to customized IT solutions from a highly qualified pool of industry partners. VETS 2 will allow for long-term planning of large-scale program requirements, while maximizing opportunities for SDVOSBs.

#### **Meet Your Socio-economic Goals**

VETS 2 will enable your agency to achieve its socio-economic goals and objectives without the time and expense of an open-market procurement. Because VETS 2 is set-aside exclusively for SDVOSBs, agencies can receive SDVOSB credit from awarded task orders.

#### **Contract Scope**

In addition to common IT services regularly purchased by the federal government, VETS 2 will also support projects that require new or emerging IT services. Examples of IT services within scope include: Data Management, Information and Communications Technology, IT Operations and Maintenance, IT Security, Software Development, and Systems Design.

#### **VETS 2 Features and Benefits will include:**

Features	Benefits
Five-year base period and one, five-year option period	Allows for long term planning of large scale program requirements
Comprehensive scope	Provides customized IT services-based solutions that can be tailored to meet an agency's particular mission needs
Multiple contract types: fixed price, cost reimbursement, time & materials and labor hour	Offers flexibility to choose appropriate contract type to mitigate risk
Access to highly qualified Service-Disabled, Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) industry partners	Enables federal agencies to receive SDVOSB credit
Pre-competed, easy-to-use contract with streamlined ordering procedures based on FAR 16.505	Saves time and money by reducing procurement lead time
Complimentary scope compatibility reviews by GWAC Program Office	Promotes contract compliance and reduces risk of protest
No protests on orders \$10M and below except on the grounds that the order increases the scope, period of performance, or maximum value of the GWAC	Minimizes protest risk and supports timely order award for optimal mission support

#### **Ordering**

Prior to issuing orders under VETS 2, federal contracting officers must receive training on the use of the VETS 2 contract and be granted a written delegation of procurement authority from the GWAC program office.

Training will be offered at no cost via:

- Onsite training conferences and events;
- Conference calls;
- · Web or video conference; and
- An online training course.

#### **For More Information**

For more information about how the upcoming VETS 2 contract can provide your agency with IT solutions, contact the VETS 2 team at <a href="METS2@gsa.gov">WETS2@gsa.gov</a>, 1-877-327-8732 or visit <a href="https://www.gsa.gov/VETS2">www.gsa.gov/VETS2</a>.